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Applicant: David Reginald ADAMS et al.
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 29, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

By the attached petition for an extension of time and check for the requisite fee, applicants have extended the time for responding until December 29, 2003.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: